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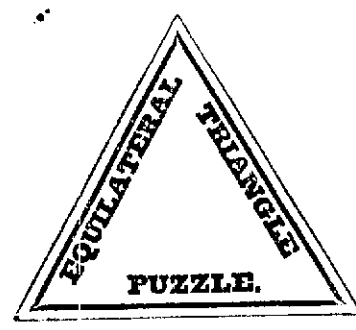

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(NOTE.—"From" denotes time of arrival; "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass.... 9:05 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 6:35 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 11:50 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 3:35 a m
No. 41 Pass.... 10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:05 a m
No. 2 Pass.... 11:59 p m	No. 5 Pass.... 3:05 p m
No. 70 Freight 6:45 p m	No. 71 Freight 6:00 a m
FROM QUINCY.	TO QUINCY.
No. 42 Pass.... 10:45 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:30 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 10:56 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 3:15 p m
No. 48 Acc.... 6:56 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:50 a m
No. 70 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 71 Freight 12:30 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass.... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass.... 5:00 a m
No. 45 Pass.... 2:55 p m	No. 44 Pass.... 11:15 a m
No. 41 Pass.... 10:25 p m	No. 42 Pass.... 10:10 p m
No. 71 Freight 6:15 p m	No. 70 Freight 6:30 a m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.... 3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass.... 12:15 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 2:50 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11:25 a m
No. 47, from Monticello, 6:40 a m	No. 48 to Monticello, 7:01 p m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 7:30 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 5:32 p m
No. 4 Pass.... 12:41 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 10:17 a m
No. 12 Pass.... 2:50 p m	No. 11 Freight 9:00 a m
No. 10 Freight 4:19 p m	No. 7 " 11:25 a m (Sunday only.)
No. 3, Champaign Line, arrives, 10:00 a m	No. 4, Champaign Line, leaves, 3:15 p m

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & SPRINGFIELD.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No. 1 Pass.... 3:00 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:05 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 4:05 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:50 p m
No. 13 Freight 9:00 a m	No. 12 Freight 6:00 a m
No. 11 " 7:10 p m	No. 14 " 6:30 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

WEST.	EAST.
No. 1 Pass.... 3:05 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:07 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 6:35 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:00 p m
No. 13 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 14 Freight 2:10 p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

WEST.	EAST.
No. 1 Pass.... 12:05 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:00 a m
No. 3 Freight 5:00 a m	No. 4 Freight. 4:50 a m
	No. 4, daily.... 7:00 a m

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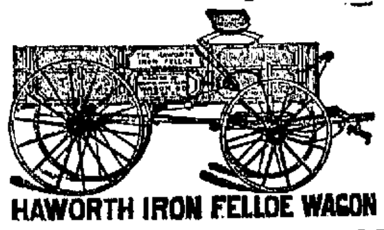

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In the Circuit Court—To the January Term, A. D. 1888.

John D. Schwitzer vs. James R. Smith—Attachment.

Public notice is hereby given to the said defendant, James R. Smith, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon County, dated the 13th day of July, A. D. 1887, at the suit of the above-named plaintiff, John D. Schwitzer, against the lands, goods, chattels, rights, moneys, and effects of you, the said defendant, James R. Smith, for the sum of twenty dollars and thirty-five cents, directed to the Sheriff of said county of Macon to execute, which writ has been executed by levying on certain real estate in said county of Macon.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said defendant, James R. Smith, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon County, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be held in the city of Decatur, beginning on the second Monday of the month of January, 1888, to-wit, on the 9th day of said month, give bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said plaintiff, and so much of the lands attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

Decatur, Illinois, October 6th, A. D. 1887.

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OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Eight aristocratic dogs ill of the gout are at Treport for treatment, says the Boston *Journal.*

—Florida spiders are said to capture large numbers of snakes in their webs, but boots still hold the lead there as a popular snake-trap.—*Burlington Free Press.*

—A cow belonging to Walter Deacon, of Bridgetown, N. Y., gave birth recently to a calf with four front feet and a long, tapering nose, which hangs far over the lower jaw.

—Persian women are said to be good house-wives. They give personal supervision and care to all the work and supplies, no matter how many servants they may employ.

—A little girl who had been given a placard with "take one" on it became tired of carrying it around and hung it on the umbrella stand in a dry-goods store where she was shopping with her mother.

—A woman, who had an irresistible propensity to destroy, going into a room once while tea was being prepared, could not resist the temptation to sweep the contents of the table on to the floor.

—A lady going out to the East Indies was often heard to express a wish to experience the sensation of drowning. One morning, after gazing for some time into the water, she did actually jump overboard. Luckily for her, the vessel was lying becalmed, and a dozen willing men jumped in to save her.

—Down in Maine a young man kissed a deacon's daughter. The deacon prosecuted him in court for it, and while all hands were attending the trial his sawmill took fire and burned down. The young man was fined one dollar and the deacon lost his sawmill. The daughter says it served them both just right. She is strictly impartial.

—An eminent writer says that cream is an innocent, palatable, nutritious luxury for everybody at all times. As an antidote for a tendency to consumption it acts like a charm, and serves all purposes intended to be served by cod-liver oil with much greater certainty and effect. Where sweet cream can be had cod-liver oil is never needed.

—Some German investigators have calculated the relative liability of injury to the eye, finding that if all parts of the body were equally exposed to injury, wounds of the eye would bear to wounds of other parts the proportion of one in about six hundred; as a matter of fact, the proportion is about thirty-six in one thousand.—*Boston Budget.*

—"An orange grove in Florida," remarks the New York *Journal of Commerce,* "is not worth a cent more than an apple orchard in New England until its owner has put into it years of hard work, much money and much impatient waiting. The idea that fortunes are to be made in Florida without sweat of the brow is a fiction of the land speculators."

—"Larrikins" is the name by which the roughs in Sydney, Australia, are spoken of. The name is said to have come from the reply of a policeman who was asked by the court what there was against the prisoner whom he had arrested. "Just larrikin about the sthrates, yer honor," was the reply of the officer, who was an Irishman. From that time disorderly conduct was termed larriking, and the rough was called a larrikin.

—The chimera flower is one of the most grotesque of its kind. When first seen this flower resembles some uncouth insect with long, slender, hairy legs, creeping over the ground, being so balanced upon its stem as to preserve a continual motion with the points or seeming legs just resting upon the surface. The coloring consists of black and white blotches, apparently put on with an unsteady hand without design, producing a peculiar and striking effect.

—A work on the Paris Monte-de-Piete tells of a pawned umbrella which was annually "renewed" for forty-seven successive years. The director of the State pawnbroking establishment at Brussels has had in his keeping for more than twenty years the diamonds and other jewelry of a once famous prima donna who has somehow fallen into poverty. Every year the interest is punctually paid, but the trinkets have not once been taken out of pawn. More than once large sums have been lent by the Brussels Mont-de-Piete upon the regalia of impecunious German princes.

—A San Francisco jewelry storekeeper, who is known as the "Diamond King," edified the Philadelphians the other day by promenading the corridor of the Continental Hotel thus gorgeously arrayed, according to the *Times:* On his scarf shone a pigeon-blood ruby, surrounded with diamonds. On his left little finger sparkled a large solitaire blue diamond. From his watch chain dangled a Masonic mark studded with large diamonds, and on the left side of his vest, just peeping out from under the lapel of his coat, was a massive gold medal, with a fringe of diamonds running all around it.

—An army of frogs is something seldom heard of, but there is a young lady at Carnesville, Ga., who claims to have met one only a short time ago while she was on a trip to Tococa. The column was about three hundred yards wide and length unknown, as it extended on each side of the road as far as she could see. They were not scattered here and there, but the ground was literally covered with them. They were quite small, and were moving in the direction of a creek. There was no water in their rear, except at some distance, and whence they came is a mystery, but it is suggested that they came down in a shower.

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Captain Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and New York, has been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner. Free trial bottles of this standard remedy at John A. Swearingen's drug store.

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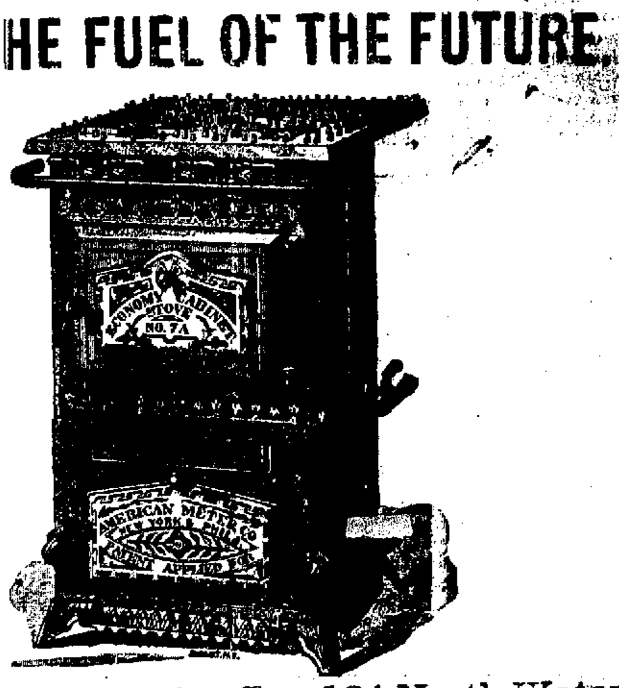

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A Big Feather.

The decision of the Federal Supreme Court in the anarchists' case is a big feather in the cap of Attorney General Hunt, of this state, who made the principal argument against the application for a writ of error. In this court the counsel for the condemned men was the best that money could secure. Among them were J. Randolph Tucker and Gen. B. F Butler, and against these distinguished lawyers our attorney general bore himself with such credit as to win the encomiums of the opposing counsel and win the case against their most strenuous efforts To accomplish this argues the possession of no ordinary ability by Capt Hunt. True, he had the law and the facts on his side, but even with these in his favor it is no every lawyer who can stand up against such odds. All honor to George Hunt He is an officer of whom the state can well be proud

THE Democratic Chicago *Times* has this to say concerning the speech of ex Minister Jackson at Macon "That a relic of the lost cause who can utter such pitiful hogwash should have occupied an important foreign mission under the actual government is not an agreeable reflection For heaven's sake, let us have no more of such horrible blundering in the foreign office" The *Times* should remember that this venerable relic of the lost cause was heartily applauded by 30,000 Democrats who heard his address

PEORIA *Transcript* A Chicago clergyman pleads for mercy for the Anarchists because they are not "ordinary murderers" True enough The ordinary murderer commits his crime in the heat of sudden passion ordinarily. The ordinary murderers do not meet for months in advance and deliberately plot wholesale massacre The crime of the Anarchists was, in atrocity and cowardice, far beyond the ordinary criminal. The ordinary criminal does not kill men because of theoretical dislike, but because of some personal grievance When compared with the ordinary criminal, the Anarchists now awaiting the death penalty in Chicago are monsters

PEORIA *Transcript* We have been inclined to believe that President Cleveland was treating old man Thurman rather harshly. Having been in the past an acknowledged leader of the Democracy it did seem that Mr Cleveland should have given him some office of trust, honor or profit. But Mr Thurman's latest utterances indicate that Mr Cleveland was right When Mr Thurman stated that for every good thing in this country the people were indebted to the Democratic party, he showed too plainly that he was withering at the top

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Local option carried in Livingston County, Mo., by a majority of 148

At a sale of blooded stock in Jerseyville, Delphos, a weanling, brought $3,750.

The jury in the "Blinky" Morgan case returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree

Fire destroyed the entire business portion of Trenton, Ark., except one store. Loss, $50,000.

Cerro Gordo, Ill, has another natural gas well, a strong flow of gas having been found at a depth of 110 feet.

Gottlieb Maurice, of St. Peters, Mo, was instantly killed at O'Fallon by an express train running over him

A rumor says Baltimore capitalists, with unlimited resources, are to organize a telegraph system in opposition to the Western Union.

E. Boyd Faulkner.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—The *Herald* says: It is rumored in Washington that E. Boyd Faulkner, of West Virginia, has been tendered the vacant First Assistant Secretaryship of State. Mr. Faulkner is a lawyer of high standing, son of C J Faulkner, who was minister to France in Buchanan's time, and brother of the Senator-elect from West Virginia. He was offered the General Consulship to Cairo, Egypt, but declined

Hawaiian Affairs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2 —News from Honolulu by the steamer Australia, indicates the probable defeat of the government and the reconstruction of the Cabinet when the Legislature meets on November 3 The Hawaiian planters are alarmed at the prospect of extensive beet sugar production in California, and are advocating the substitution of coffee and olive culture for sugar cane as the chief product of Hawaii, in anticipation of the driving out of cane sugar from the market.

Upset by Overwork.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 2.—Rev. J E Morey Rounds, for many years principal of the Centenary Biblical Institute, for the theological training of colored youth, was yesterday declared insane and sent to a private retreat. Mr. Rounds is one of the ablest biblical scholars in the city, a fine linguist and speaks twelve languages. Over work is the cause of his mental aberration.

Shot Dead by Her Little Brother.

WILKESBARRE, Pa, Nov. 2.—Willie Herbert aged eight years, living at Bordentown, Lackawanna County, was playing with his seven-year-old sister during the absence of their parents. The lad picked up an old gun behind the bureau, took aim at the girl, and fired, killing her instantly. The charge entered her head and shot the face away.

Mr. Bachmann's Recommendation.

It gives me pleasure to say that after several oculists of good reputation have tried to fit my eyes with glasses, but did not succeed, I consulted Dr. W. Lewin, at the St. Nicholas hotel, who fitted me with glasses which not only strengthen my eyes but give me greater comfort than any spectacles I ever had before, and therefore I recommend Dr. Lewin to all my friends and to the public.

F. H. BACHMANN,
DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 2, 1887.

Sale of Personal Property.

I will sell at public sale at my residence, nine miles west of Decatur, and one mile northwest of Harristown, on *Thursday, November 10th, 1887,* all of personal property, embracing
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A. W. ALLEN.
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BY TELEGRAPH.

ALL HOPE GONE.

The Supreme Court of the United States Decides Against the Anarchists.

An Exhaustive Review of All the Points Raised by the Counsel for the Condemned,

And Nothing Found Upon Which to Predicate a Reversal of the Lower Court.

WASHINGTON, Nov 3.—The following is the text of the opinion in the Anarchists case for the allowance of a writ of error to the Supreme Court of the United States by Chief Justice Waite

When as in this case, application is made to us on the suggestion of one of our number to whom a similar application had been previously addressed for the allowance of a writ of error to the highest court of a State under section 709 of the Revised Statutes, it is our duty to ascertain not only whether any question reviewable here was made and decided in the proper court below, but whether it is of a character to justify us in bringing the judgment here for re-examination. In our opinion the writ ought not to be allowed by the court if it appears from the face of the record that the decision of the Federal question which is complained of was so plainly right as not to require argument, and especially if it is in accordance with our own well considered judgment in similar cases That is in effect what was done in Twitchell versus the Commonwealth, 7 Wall 323 when the writ was refused because the questions presented by the record were no longer subjects of discussion although if they had been in the opinion of the court open it would have been allowed When under section 5 of our rule 6, a motion to affirm with a motion to dismiss for want of jurisdiction, the practice has been to grant the motion to affirm that the case ought not to be allowed for further argument Arrowsmith vs Harmoning, 118 U S 94 135 Church vs Kelsey, 121 U S, 282 The propriety of adopting a similar rule upon motions in open court for the allowance of a writ is apparent, for certainly we would not be justified as a court in sending out a writ to bring up for review a judgment of the highest court of a State when it is apparent on the face of the record that it would be our duty to grant a motion to affirm as soon as it was made in proper form In the present case we have had the benefit of argument in support of the application, and while counsel have not deemed it their duty to go fully into the merits of the question involved, they have shown us distinctly what the decisions were of which they complain, and in this way we are able to determine as a court in session whether the errors alleged are such as to justify us in bringing the case here for review We proceed then to consider what the questions are on which if it exists at all, our jurisdiction depends The particular provisions of the Constitution of the United States on which counsel rely are found in articles IV and XIV of the amendments, as follows "Article IV — The right of the people to be secure in their persons houses papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures shall not be violated Article V.—No person shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law Article VI – In all criminal prosecutions the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial by an impartial jury of the State and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which shall have been previously ascertained by law Article 14, section 1—No State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States nor shall any State deprive any persons of life liberty or property without due process of law" That the first ten articles of amendment were not intended to limit the powers of State governments in respect to their own citizens but to operate on the National Government alone was ordered more than a half century ago and that decision has been steadily adhered to since Barron vs Baltimore, 7 Peters, 24, 247 Livingstone vs Moore 469 55 Fox vs Ohio 5 How, 410 434 Smith vs Maryland, 18 How 71 76, Withers vs Buckley 20 How, 84 91 Pervear vs Commonwealth, 5 Wall 475 169 Twitchell vs the Commonwealth, 7 How 321, 325 Justices vs Murray 9 Wall 274 2.3, Edwards vs Elliot 21 Wall 532 557 Walker vs Sauvinet, 92 U S 90 United States vs Cruickshank 92 U S 542 52 Poinson vs Yawdall 95 U S 204 229 Davidson vs New Orleans 96 U S, 97 110 Kelly vs Pittsburgh 104 U S 79 Prosser vs Illinois, 116 U S, 252, 265

It was contended, however, that though originally the first ten amendments were adopted as limitations on Federal power, yet in so far as they secure and recognize fundamental rights—common law rights—of the man they make them privileges and immunities of the man as a citizen of the United States and can not now be abridged by a State under the Fourteenth amendment In other words, while the ten amendments as limitations on power only apply to the Federal Government, and not to the States, yet, in so far as they declare or recognize rights of persons these rights are theirs as citizens of the United States and the Fourteenth amendment as to such rights limits State power as the ten amendments had limited Federal power It is also contended that the provision of the Fourteenth amendment which declares that no State shall deprive any person of life liberty or property without due process of law implies that every person charged with crime in a State shall be entitled to a trial by an impartial jury and shall not be compelled to testify against himself The objections are in brief 1, that a statute of the State as construed by the court deprived the petitioners of a trial by an impartial jury and 2 that Spies was compelled to give evidence against himself Before considering whether the Constitution of the United States has the effect which is claimed it is proper to inquire whether the federal questions on, in fact arise on the face of this record One statute to which objection is made was approved March 12 1874, and has been in force since July 1 of that year The complaint is that the trial court acting under this statute and in accordance with its requirements compelled the petitioners against their will to submit to a trial by a jury that was not impartial, and thus deprived them of one of the fundamental rights which they had as citizens of the United States, under the National Constitution and if the sentence of the court is carried into execution they will be deprived of their lives without due process of law In Hopt vs Utah 120 it was decided by this court that when a challenge by a defendant in a criminal act on to a juror for bias actual or implied, is disallowed and the juror is thereupon peremptorily challenged by the defendant and excused and an impartial and competent juror is obtained in his place, no injury is done the defendant, if until the jury is completed he has other peremptory challenges which he can use and so on It was said the right to challenge is the right to reject, not to select, a juror If from those who remain an impartial jury is obtained the constitutional right of the accused is maintained Of the correctness of these rulings we entertain no doubt We are, therefore confined in this case to the rulings on the challenges to the jurors who actually sat at the trial Of those there were but two—Theodore Denker the third juror who was sworn, and H T Sanford, the last who was called and sworn after all the peremptory challenges of the defendants had been exhausted At the trial the court construed the statute to mean that although a juror called as a juryman may have formed an opinion based upon rumor or upon newspaper statements but has expressed no opinion as to the truth of the newspaper statement, he is still qualified as a juror if he states that he can fairly and impartially render a verdict thereon in accordance with the law and the evidence and the court shall be satisfied of the truth of such statement It is not a test question whether a juror will have the opinion which he has formed from newspaper changed by the evidence, but whether his verdict will be based upon the account which may be here given by witnesses under oath Interpreted in this way the statute is not materially different from that of the Territory of Utah which we had under consideration in Hopt vs. Utah, super, and to which we then gave effect As that was a Territory statute passed by a territorial Legislature for the government of a Territory over which the United States had exclusive jurisdiction, it came directly within the operation of article 6 of the amendment, which guaranteed to Hopt a trial by an impartial jury Webster vs. Reed, 11. Howard, 437,459 No one at that time suggested a doubt of the constitutionality of the statute, and it was regarded both in the territorial courts and here as furnishing the proper rule to be observed by a Territory impaneling an impartial jury in a criminal case A similar statute was enacted in New York May 3 1872 (acts of 1872 C 475 9 New York State at large, 2d edition, 573.) in Michigan April 18 1873, (act of 1878, 162, act 117 Howell State 9 564,) and also in Nebraska (Compt Stat Nebraska, 1885 page 838 Criminal Code of 408) The constitutionality of the statute of New York was sustained by the Court of Appeals of that State in Stokes vs The People 53 New York, 164 to 172 December 3—June 10 1871, and it has been acted upon without objection ever since So far as we have ever been able to discover no doubt has ever been entertained in Michigan or Nebraska of the constitutionality of the statutes of the States respectively Indeed the rule of the statute of the Illinois as it was construed by the trial court, is not materially different from that which has been adopted by the courts in many of the States without legislative action Commonwealth vs Webster 5 Cushing, 295, Holt vs The People 13 Mich, 224 State vs Fox, 1 Dutcher Oslander vs The Commonwealth 3 Leigh 780, State vs Ellington 7 Wedell, 61 Smith vs Ames, 3 See also an elaborate note to this last case in 36 A M, Dec, where a very large number of authorities on this subject are cited

Without pursuing this subject further it is sufficient to say that we agree entirely with the Supreme Court of Illinois in the opinion that the statute on its face as construed by the trial court is not repugnant to section 9 of article 2 of the Constitution of that State which guarantees to the accused party in a criminal prosecution a speedy trial by an impartial jury of the county or district in which the offense is alleged to have been committed This is substantially the provision of the Constitution of the United States on which the petitioners now rely It follows that even if their position as to the operation and effect of that Constitution is correct the statute is not open to the objection which is made against it.

We proceed then to a consideration of the grounds of challenge to the jurors, Denker and Sanford to see if in the actual administration of the rule of the statute by the court the rights of the defendants under the Constitution of the United States were in any way impaired

The court then gives extracts from the examination of Denker by the defense and says that he "was challenged for cause" by the defendant, but before any decision was made thereon he was questioned by the court, and the court's examination is appended "The court," it continues, "thereupon overruled the challenge, but before the juror was accepted and sworn, he was further examined by counsel for the defense." [This examination is also reprinted from the record] The court then says that the examination of the juror by counsel for the defendants closed, and he was examined by the attorney for the State, and citations are given from the questions and answers in this examination The opinion continues:

At the close of the examination neither party challenged the juror peremptorily, and he was accepted and sworn When this occurred it is not denied the defendants were still entitled to 143 peremptory challenges or about that number When the juror Sanford was called he was first examined by counsel for the defendants. [The examination is here quoted] At the close of this examination on the part of the defendants the juror was challenged on their behalf for cause, and the attorney for the State, after it was ascertained that all the peremptory challenges of the defendants had been exhausted, took up the examination of the juror [The result of this examination is given as is the ruling of the court denying the challenge to overrule for cause, and stating that as the peremptory challenges of the defense are exhausted Sanford is a juror to try the case so far as the defendants are concerned] This was accepted by both parties as a true statement of the then condition of the case and after some further examination of the juror which elicited nothing of importance in connection with the present inquiry, no peremptory challenge having been interposed by the State, Sanford was sworn as a juror and the panel was thus complete This so far as we have been advised, presents all there is in the record which this court can consider touching the challenge of those two jurors by the defendants for cause In Reynolds vs the United States 98 U S 145 to 156 it was decided by this court that in order to justify the reversal of the judgment of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Utah for refusing to allow a challenge to a juror in a criminal case on the ground that he had formed and expressed an opinion as to the issues to be tried it must be made clear to appear that upon the evidence the court ought to have found the juror had formed such an opinion that he could not in law be deemed impartial The case must be one in which it is manifest the law left nothing to the conscience or discretion of the court If such is the degree of strictness which is required in the ordinary case of writs from one court to another in the same general jurisdiction, we ought to be careful that it is not at all relaxed in a case like this when the ground relied on for the reversal by the court of a judgment of the highest court of the State is that the error complained of is so great as to amount in law to a denial by the State of a trial by an impartial jury to one who is accused of crime We are unhesitatingly of opinion that no such case is disclosed by this record

We come now to consider the objection that the defendant Spies was compelled by the court to be a witness against himself He voluntarily offered himself a witness in his own behalf and by so doing he became bound to submit himself to a proper cross examination, to state whether he had received a certain letter, which was shown purporting to have been written by Johann Most and addressed to him, and upon his saying that he had the court allowed the letter to be read in evidence against him This it is claimed was not proper cross-examination It is not contended that the subject to which the cross examination related was not pertinent to the issue to be tried, and whether a cross examination must be confined to matters pertinent to the testimony in chief or may be extended to the matter in issue is certainly a question of State law and not of Federal law

Something has been said in argument about an alleged unreasonable search and seizure of the papers and property of some of the defendants and their use in evidence on the trial of the case Special reference is made in this connection to the letter of Most about which Spies was cross examined but we have not been referred to any part of the record in which it appears that objection was made to the use of this evidence on that account And upon this point the Supreme Court of the State, in that part of its adoption printed with this motion, remarks as follows The objection that the letter was obtained from the defendant by an unlawful seizure is made for the first time in this court It was not made on the trial in the court below—such an objection as this is not suggested by the nature of the offered evidence but depends on the proof of an outside fact that had been made on the trial The defense should have proved that the Most letter was one of the letters illegally seized by the police, and should then have moved to exclude or oppose its admission, on the ground that it was obtained by such illegal seizure This was not done and therefore we can not consider the questions supposed to be involved Even though the court was wrong in saying that it did not appear that the Most letter was one of the papers illegally seized, it still remains uncontradicted that no objection was made in the trial court to its admission on that account. To give us jurisdiction under section 709 of the Revised Statutes, because of the denial by a State court of any title right, privilege or immunity claimed under the Constitution or any treaty or statute of the United States, it must appear that such title, right, privilege or immunity was "specially set up or claimed" at the proper time and in the proper way, To be reviewable the decision must be against the right so set up or claimed As the Supreme Court of the State was reviewing the decision of the trial court, to make the question reviewable here, it must appear that the claim was made in that court, because the Supreme Court was only authorized to review the judgment of that court for errors committed there, and we can do no more This is not, as seems to be supposed by one of the counsel for the petitioners a question of the waiver of the right under the Constitution, law or treaty of the United States, but a question of claim If not set up or claimed in the proper court below, the judgment of the State Court in the action is conclusive, so far as the right of review here is concerned The question whether the letter, if obtained as claimed, would have been competent evidence, is not before us, and therefore no foundation is laid under this objection for the exercise of our jurisdiction

As to the suggestion by counsel for the petitioners Spies and Fielden that Spies having been born in Germany and Fielden in Great Britain they have been denied by the decision of the court below rights guaranteed to them by treaties between the United States and their respective counties it is sufficient to say that no such questions were made and decided in either of the courts below, and they can not be raised in this court for the first time We have not been referred to any treaty, neither are we aware of any under which such a question could be raised Being of opinion therefore that federal questions presented by the counsel for the petitioners and which they say they desire to argue are not in fact involved in the determination of the case as it appears on the face of the record we deny the writ,

The decision of the court is unanimous

AN INHUMAN FATHER.

He Sells His Daughters to Filthy Indians for Blankets, Rum and Tobacco

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 3 —While a Victoria schooner was lying at the wharf at Barclay Sound on the west coast of Vancouver Island recently, the captain and crew were surprised to see two white girls running towards the vessel, closely pursued by three or four Indians. Reaching the side of the vessel, the girls sprang on board almost exhausted and begged the Captain to protect them from their pursuers. The Indians were close upon them, and, jumping on the deck of the schooner, demanded the girls as their property, but the Captain refused to give the girls up. After parleying with the Captain for a short time they took their departure, only to return, largely reinforced. The Captain then surrendered the girls in fear of his life. It has since been learned by the government of British Columbia, which is to demand the release of the girls, that they are daughters of Wm. Thompson, formerly of Victoria, who with his wife and four daughters, moved to San Juan, on the west coast, three years ago, and took up his home near an Indian camp Since that time until now nothing had been heard of them. After moving to San Juan the father became dissipated and all he earned went for the purchase of liquor. When he could no longer obtain money or liquor he sold his oldest daughter to a wealthy Chinaman, to whom, it is said, she was married at the point of a revolver His wife died of a broken heart, and in one of his revelries at the Indian camp it is alleged he agreed to barter two of his daughters for a few blankets, clothing and whisky The bargain was made and for the purpose of carrying it out, Thompson's hut was visited the following night by a few of the tribe, who easily carried away their helpless victims Since their captivity the girls have been subject to the most brutal treatment. A younger sister, only eight years old, was sold to another tribe of Indians. The lighthouse keeper at Race Rock Light has within a few days, seen a young white girl in a canoe, paddled by Indians, pass the lighthouse

BORDER OUTRAGES.

Mexican Bandits Creating a Reign of Terror Along the Rio Grande

GALVESTON, Tex, Nov. 3 —Mexican bandits emboldened by the fact that Governor Ross has not responded to the many recent appeals for suppressing the outlaws, continue their raids through Star, Hidalgo and other counties along the Mexican border. A special to the *News* says a band under the lead of the notorious Zuzonte completely sacked the store of Madeline Flores, at Savona's ranch, in Hidalgo County, taking every dollar and the last remnant of goods, leaving the woman tied with strong cords

So bold have the bandits become that they openly defy the authorities and say they are not afraid to meet the whole State of Texas

The people in the border counties are becoming desperate and will take up arms against the outlaws if the Governor does not take measures to repress the marauders.

In Star County the outlawry has reached the climax. A special from Rio Grande City, Tex, says, scarce a night passes in this and neighboring towns that the bandits do not ride through the streets of the town defying the officers of the law, and threaten to blow up stores if the merchants do not raise money for them

On Saturday a party of bandits came to town and mailed two letters at the postoffice, one to Manuel Guerro of Roma, and the other to Senor Donacino Garcia, of this place, notifying them that unless they immediately raised $1 500 and $3,000 respectively, for the bandits, their stores would be blown to atoms with dynamite.

United States cavalry located at Ringgold barracks, near here, are of no service, because of the official red tape necessary to move the troops on short notice. Before the order from headquarters could arrive, the town might be sacked and the bandits safe in Mexico.

No less than three ranchers on the lower Rio Grande are reported to be held by the bandits for ransom

An Extensive Conflagration.

WINTHROP, Me, Nov. 3.—Fire originating in Whitman's Agricultural Works yesterday afternoon, destroyed those works and spread rapidly to a large number of dwellings in the neighborhood. About fifty small dwellings were wholly or partially consumed; also the residences of August Thompson and F. M Clarke, the mills of William Carr and several stores on Main street. The total loss is not yet learned.

A Nerve-Shattering Hoax.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 3.—Mr. Wechshler received through the mail yesterday a pill box containing a lump of alum attached to a piece of cord. It was harmless and apparently intended as a hoax. There was nothing to indicate its having any connection with the infernal machine previously received.

THE CONDEMNED.

How the Doomed Bomb-Throwers Received the News of the Decision.

Affecting Scenes at the Jail During the Visiting Hour---Extraordinary Precautions to be Taken.

The Last Hope, and It is a Forlorn One, Rests With Governor Oglesby.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3—Only the will of Richard J. Oglesby, Governor of Illinois, sometimes the genial, but more often the cold, stern and implacable "Uncle Dick," stands between the gallows and the seven condemned Anarchists in the county jail. "Strangle the law; throttle it," were the exclamations which rang through Haymarket Square as the bomb descended on its terrible mission, and yesterday the highest tribunal in the country placed upon him the responsibility of deciding whether or not the law should strangle and throttle those that defied and outraged it. That responsibility is a terrible one, but those who know him know also that whatever he considers his duty will be done without flinching, and that like the laws of the Medes and Persians his decision once arrived at is unalterable That decision is now only a matter of a few days.

"These men are prepared for death. They ask no mercy; they expect none," said Death-watch Osborn yesterday morning. Just before seven little girls dressed in white had brought in as many baskets of fruit. They departed without saying where or from whom the donation came, but it was surmised that the erratic Train, who is now in Omaha, was responsible for the act of kindness.

General M. M. Trumbull and George Schilling came in soon after and held an earnest conversation of half an hour's duration with Sam Fielden. For the next two hours the condemned men were alone with their own thoughts. They knew that in all probability their fate had been decided, but they manifested neither impatience, nervousness or anxiety.

A private note addressed to Spies was the first intimation that any of them received that all hope, so far as the Supreme Court was concerned, was over. He was sitting outside his cell door, one moment writing, the next meditatively chewing a toothpick, when it was handed up Glancing at its contents, he handed it back to the turnkey and resumed his writing and chewing. Not a movement of the muscles, not a flush upon the palled cheek, indicated that the news had given him any concern. Five minutes elapsed, and then, turning to the death-watch, he said with a smile "It's all up. You might as well spread the news among the boys."

Osborn obeyed and went from cell to cell with the grim tidings Fischer merely nodded Parsons smiled Fielden who was lying down upon his cot with his face toward the door did not shift his position an inch. Schwab sat on a stool with his face buried in his hands "What I expected," he said, and then covered up his face again. Engle, who was pacing the floor continued to walk without uttering a word Lingg was reading and did not even so much as lift his eyes from the book Osborn returned to his post "They all know it," he remarked to Spies The latter nodded and went on with his writing Not a word, not a look of inquiry from the arch-conspirator which would indicate that he was interested in knowing how his companions in misery had received the news.

Afternoon came, and with it the visiting hour The prisoners were ushered down stairs and into the cage, where, with faces pressed close against the wire netting, they awaited the coming of their friends Mrs. Spies, accompanied by several neighbors, was the first to put in an appearance, and as the poor old lady reached the corner of the cage where her son was sitting, she sank upon a stool and burst into tears. For several moments she sobbed and wept convulsively, while Spies and his brother Christ, who had come in with his mother whispered words of courage and tried to buoy up her feelings. The buxom sweetheart of Louis Lingg came in a few minutes later, and she too was unable to control her emotions She was still crying when the flaxen haired wife of Michael Schwab joined the group, and in a moment the tears of the three unfortunate women were mingling together.

But the men on the other side of the cage displayed a stoical demeanor, and spoke so cheeringly that one after another the women dried their eyes and sat down to talk over the decision and what it meant.

Then the shouts of infant voices were heard, and Mrs Parsons with her little ones came down the steps into the inclosure Her eyes were red with weeping, but she was evidently making a strong effort toward self-control, and when she glued her lips to the wire in a vain effort to meet those on the other side there was a smile, although a sad one, upon her face Meanwhile two of the little ones had been let into the cage, and in the twinkling of an eye one was perched upon Parsons' knee and the other climbin upon his shoulders, while the place resounded with gleeful shouts of "papa, my papa." "Give me a ride" said the little girl presently, and picking her up on his back the condemned man ran up and down the inclosure with the boy at his heels while the little ones screamed with delight. This pastime continued for several minutes, and not until he was thoroughly exhausted did Parsons resume his stool and commence to talk with his wife

Fischer and Engle were visited by several friends, while Joseph R Buchanan, of the *Labor Inquirer*, after an extended talk with Fielden, moved around the cage and spoke a few words to each of the prisoners As the visiting time drew toward a close, all of the women, except Mrs. Parsons, grew gloomy again and wept quietly, while the men did their best to console them.

Nina Van Zandt, as is her custom, came in barely ten minutes before it was time to say good-night Her face was wreathed with smiles, and had the decision given life and hope to her proxy husband her general demeanor could not have been more cheery. She made the most of her time in holding a spirited conversation with Spies, alternately laughing, frowning and gesticulating The conversation, however, was carried on in an undertone, and even those near by could not catch the drift of what was being said

Five o'clock came, and the hoarse voice of the turnkey announced "Time's up." Parsons' children gave him a kiss and a hug; Schwab passed several pieces of silver to his wife through the netting; "good-byes" were said, and the condemned men were left to themselves for another night.

There is considerable speculation concerning a mysterious visit which was paid to the jail yesterday by Prof. W M. Salter, the well-known lecturer and president of the Society for Ethical Culture, and Henry D. Lloyd, formerly one of the editors of the Chicago *Tribune* They were armed with a special permit from the sheriff, and after a prolonged conversation with Fielden they visited in turn all the other prisoners. Altogether they spent over three hours in the building, but they declined to make public the object of their mission, and the prisoners were equally non-committal. It is surmised however, that they endeavored to induce the condemned men to unite in an appeal to the Governor for clemency.

The first steps toward a depopulation of the jail were taken yesterday, and by Monday next it will contain fewer inmates than at any time since the great fire. Several prisoners were admitted to bail yesterday afternoon, and last evening over a dozen charged with minor offenses were released because the grand jury had failed to find indictments. Bondsmen have been secured for several more who have been languishing for weeks in default of bail, and they will be brought before Judge Williamson to day. Most of the thirty-day prisoners will also have their sentences commuted and be released between now and Saturday.

Stringent regulations regarding the admission of visitors were enforced when the decision had been received, and nobody was admitted behind the doors of the jail after noon except on the presentation of a special order from the sheriff All the baskets of fruit, boxes of cigars and bundles of papers which were brought in by the friends of the seven men were also laid aside for a rigid examination.

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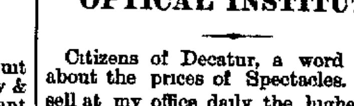

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NOTICE.

To Whom it may Concern

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Illinois on Friday, Nov 18, 1887, for the pardon of Charles Houston, convicted of the crime of rape at the January term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A D, 1887
Oct 27, 1887-d3w

THE new meat market on West Decatur street, at the Chenoweth grocery store, has secured a new butcher, and the patrons of the shop will now be served with good meat, and properly waited upon. o27d1w*

Decatur Coal.

The Decatur Coal Company is always prepared to supply the local trade with fuel at the lowest ruling prices. Prompt delivery a specialty. Up-town office at Armstrong's drug store—telephone 227. Oct3-dtf

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Executrix' Notice

Estate of John M. Gault, Deceased

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the estate of John M Gault, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur at the December term on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned
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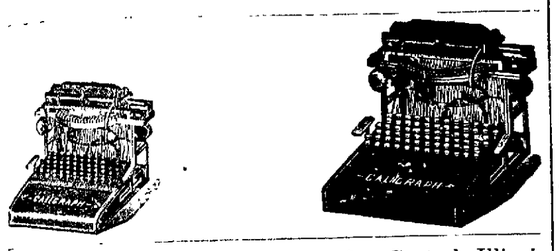

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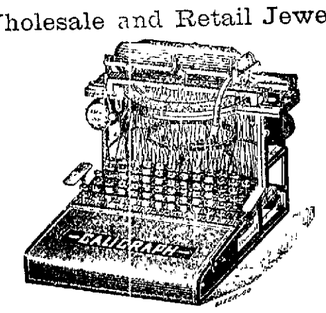

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LOCAL NEWS.

POTPOURI, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

PATTI ROSA in "Bob" Saturday night.

HEAR the illustrated lecture on art at the opera house Monday night.

CONSULT Dr. Lewin at the St. Nicholas. oct13-dtf

MR. FRENCH's charming lecture on art will be illustrated by crayon sketches at the opera house Monday night.

YOU are invited to try Clarkson's famous free lunch. 2-d6

CHARLEY LAUX has prepared for cold blasts by putting up the storm doors in front of the St. Nicholas Hotel.

STEP in at Knode & Osborne's family grocery store and purchase supplies.

THE "Gypsy Baron" company left this morning at 5 o'clock for Logansport, Ind.

FREE lunch for the hungry at Clarkson's place every day and evening. 2-d6

THE Y. M. C. A. board of directors will meet this evening in Mills Bros.' law office.

STYLISH cutters in different patterns just received by D. F. Hamsher.

TICKETS for the Woody Brothers' concert at the tabernacle Monday night can be had at Lutz's music store.

ALWAYS see J. Lytle & Co., in opera block, when you want Vienna bread, rolls, Jersey milk in bottles and family groceries.

THE Comfort Corset at Miss Miller's. o27d1w*

THE ladies of the Christian church will give a festival and dinner at the tabernacle. The festival will commence on November 23d and continue through Thanksgiving Day on which day the dinner will be served.

SHELLABARGER & Co.'s White Loaf flour is always popular with the people.

THE famous Cyclone washing machines can be had at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

THE funeral of the late Polly Morrison took place from the Catholic church this forenoon, Rev. Father Mackin conducting the services. The attendance of friends was large. The remains were taken to Greenwood Cemetery for interment.

S. P. COWAN, in Haworth Block, makes a specialty of California and other canned goods.

THE Upright Piano is a specialty with *Haines Bros.*, and for beauty of finish sweetness and richness of tone, they are not surpassed by anything to be found in the world.—*New York Baptist*

TELL the grocer to send you the Hatfield & Co. White Foam flour.

FRESH eggs, fresh butter, fine potatoes and choice apples can be had at Hanks & Patterson's store, 143 South Water street.

COMMENCING November 1st, 1887, the I. C. R. R. will sell 2,000 mile tickets at $40.00. These tickets will be limited to one year from date of issue. Unused portions will be redeemed after deducting 2 cents per mile for the portion used.

ANYTHING you want in the grocery line can be had at Niedermeyer's store on the mound.

County Teachers' Institute.

A Teachers' Institute will be held in Decatur on the 11th and 12th of this month, beginning at 9 o'clock on Friday morning, the 11th, and closing at noon on Saturday.

The schools have now been in session for several weeks and teachers have learned the special needs of their particular schools. Teachers and parents and children are now all interested in the work and conference at this time may be made to bring great good to the schools for the rest of the year.

All who close their schools on Friday and attend for the day and a half will receive certificates of attendance and will be entitled to pay for Friday from their respective districts the same as if they taught. This is a provision that was made in the interest of the schools by our legislators last winter. Whether they did wisely or not will be determined by the good you bring to your schools through the Institute. I trust every teacher will strive conscientiously to make this the most profitable day and a half of the year for his school.

The following are some of the topics that will be discussed: Classification, The Manual, Assigning Lessons, Seat Work, The Recitation Hour, School Exhibits, Examinations, Supplementary Reading and other Supplementary Work, School Libraries, Supplies, Teachers' Reading Circles, etc. There will also be opportunity for the discussion of such other topics as the teachers may bring before the meeting.

The following is the provision of the state law referred to above:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, that the time not exceeding three days in any one term, or five days in any one year during term time, actually spent by a teacher of any public school in the State in attendance upon a teachers' institute, held under the direction of the County Superintendent of Schools, shall be considered time lawfully expended by such teacher in the service of the district where such teacher is employed, and no deduction of wages shall be made for such absences. And it shall be the duty of school officers and boards of education to allow teachers to close their school for such attendance upon such institute.

T. L. EVANS, Co. Sup't.

JAS. S. MURPHY, M. D., Company's Shops, N. C., writes: "I sell a great deal of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, for every one who tries it likes it."

"There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy." Of course! Why those old sufferers suffered horribly with aches and pains, and didn't and couldn't know that Salvation Oil would cure them.

Ehrman's Oyster Prices.

Mediums	25c per qt. can
Stars—extra mediums	35c " "
Selects	40c " "
Extra Select bulk oysters	45c " "

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GET the best oysters, packed fresh every morning, at DINGES & COOP'S. oct27-d12

Double Accident Averted.

A few miles south of Decatur this morning the north-bound passenger train on the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville road had two narrow escapes from wreckage, loss of life and damage. The train was steaming along rapidly when the engineer discovered an obstruction on the track ahead. The train was stopped within 10 feet of a cattle guard into which an old white horse had fallen, his legs dangling from the cross bars. All of the train men and passengers united in removing the horse. The work was accomplished after a struggle of three-quarters of an hour. The passenger train and engine were deserted, and no thought was taken of an approaching freight train until it was heard rumbling through the timber at the rear. Then it was that the conductor called out, "There's nobody sent back to flag the train," and instantly there was a general scramble to avert the second threatened disaster. Fortunately the freight was stopped at a safe distance, and as the old horse was out of the way, both trains came on into Decatur without further delay. Those on the train say there was an exciting time for an hour.

The Opera.

The romantic opera, "The Gypsy Baron," was presented last night before a large and well pleased audience by the Conried Company in an elaborate manner. The story of the piece, which tells of the military and love triumphs of *Sandor*, the exile, has already been published in these columns. It was presented with all the beauty of the Strauss music, special scenery and appropriate costumes by the company of 60 people. The chorus was strong and so large in numbers that the stage was crowded almost to the footlights. The prima donna was Laura Bellini, who is said to receive $50 a night. Her singing was that of an artist gifted by nature with a voice of great power and melody and with a robust figure. In the "Near Me" solo she received a hearty encore and some of the choruses had to be repeated. The imposing march of the female hussars in the last act was a striking feature of the performance and was liberally applauded. It was by far the largest opera company Decatur has had, and not a line was cut. The troupe departed for Logansport this morning at 5 o'clock.

THEY are Greenings—a whole bushel of them—and as they disappear down the gaping gullets of the office boy, the devil, the printer, the pressman, the reporter and the over-present visitor, all unite in praising the generosity of Ald. Moffett, who sent them around. We are at a little loss to account for the gift, except upon the hypothesis that he wanted to testify his appreciation of our efforts to sound President Cleveland's praises. Many thanks. We like to be appreciated.

PETE MCCARTNEY is at Mattoon today, where he is the guest of a cousin who, during one of Pete's trials, was delegated to go to a corn crib on his farm near Neoga, dig up, and deliver to the authorities $67,000 in counterfeit money and several plates from which it was printed. He consulted a prominent physician in regard to his throat trouble. After a short visit he will go to Willow Run, Jasper county, to visit a daughter.

THE well water in the fountains in Lincoln Square is now running freely every day, and scores of people quench their thirst daily. People stop as they pass in their rigs to get a drink. The water is cool, and the motor which is operated by water works power, runs steadily.

IT is stated that Al. Morgan will sell his saloon and spend next season as manager of one of the clubs of the new Central Inter-State League. He has received flattering offers. Al. is a long-headed ball man, and if he gives up his saloon business he will be in a position to give Lucas and other old timers a warm race.

A Dancing Actress.

This is the name earned by Patti Rosa, the clever soubrette who is to appear Saturday night in Lotta's play, "Bob."

Patti Rosa may always be sure of a hearty reception in Kansas City. She has sung and danced her way into everybody's affections, and her cute and cunning antics win universal admiration.—*Kansas City, Mo., Journal.*

THE striking miners want to confer with mine owners at Springfield to-morrow to settle differences, but it is not likely that a majority of the operatives will attend.

A. W. WELLS has purchased Cassell & Kretzer's stock of groceries at Niantic and has taken possession.

REV. HEIDEL says the new German Methodist church will be ready for dedication on the 20th or 27th of the present month. He sent a note away to-day asking about furniture and when it will arrive. The fresco artists are now at work decorating the interior.

MRS. SEDGWICK's dancing class will meet in the south store room of Mrs. Gallagher's new building. The large pupils will meet on Friday (to-morrow) evening, and the little ones on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

HEAR the noted caricaturist, M. W R. French, at the opera house Monday night—opening of the Decatur Lecture Course series.

IT matters not how strict the law, some parties are given to carrying concealed weapons, thereby endangering not only themselves, but others within reach. Drunken parties have no business with such an article. In the event that somebody is hurt drunkenness is the plea of defense, and ought not to be countenanced before any court. It is but a license to get drunk to commit crime.

Masonic.

Special conclave of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, K. T., this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work. A full attendance requested. All Sir Knights in regular standing are cordially invited.

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New Goods,
New Prices,
New Ideas,
Old Experience.
See Capt. Abel, old stand of Abel & Locke. nov3-d6w2

Meeting of the Poultry Club.

All members, and all who wish to become members, of the Macon Co. Poultry Club are requested to meet at the Court House on Thursday evening, Nov. 10, at 7:30, to complete arrangements for the coming poultry exhibition. A full attendance is desired.

R. J. SHROYER, Sec'y.

A Close Call.

Lew Hart, the Wabash engineer, had a close call for his life last week, but his brother engineer, Clinton Haag, who runs opposite to Lew on the St. Louis division, had a closer shave the other night in St. Louis. Mr. Haag has a family in Decatur, but the Wabash engineers have to have sleeping apartments at St. Louis. Looking about for a room, he visited the building that was mysteriously blown up a few nights ago, involving the loss of several lives. Mr. Haag offered $15 a month for one room, but the landlady wanted $20. He refused to give that sum and got a room at his price in another building near by. When the explosion came the occupants of the $20 room were killed, and Mr. Haag was thrown out of his bed by the terrific shock in his room in the other building. Thus it will be seen that the sum of $5 saved Mr. Haag's life. He rejoices that he did not take the room.

Passed Away.

Hon. Winthrop Sargent, father of the late Mrs. Diantha Barnes, Miss Miranda Sargent and Mrs. E. A. Gastman, died at his home in Claremont, N. H., Wednesday, 2d inst, in the 79th year of his age. He has visited his children here several times, and was well known to many of our older citizens.

Gov. Oglesby and the Anarchists.

Gov. Oglesby was just starting for his dinner yesterday, when a representative of the *Journal* told him that the supreme court had refused to grant a writ of error in the anarchist cases. He did not express much surprise but abruptly asked, "How do you know?" The reporter gave the source of his information and the governor dropped his head and gave a kind of semi-grunt. He then returned to his office to tell his secretary but the news had been received over the telephone. The morning mail brought a stack of letters and communications regarding the disposition of the case when it came before him, but the only satisfaction a reporter could get was to have it pointed out to him. It is pretty generally understood that the Governor has received no communication from those who are authorized to represent the condemned seven. There were no callers at the gubernatorial office in the interest of the unfortunate men, and the day was a very uneventful one. There was some excitement through the state house when the news was announced. The Governor left his office at the usual time in the afternoon, and spent the evening, as usual, at home.—*Springfield Journal, Nov. 3d.*

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. G. Sellars is seriously ill at his home on West Decatur street.

Dr. Ira N. Barnes left for Cerro Gordo to-day on professional business.

Mrs. Otis W. Soule, of Abington, Mass., arrived in the city last night on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Sullivan Burgess.

John A. Brown and I. R. Mills are in Long Creek to-day, attending the L. B. Casner stock sale.

Miss Millie Adderley and her cousin, Miss May Guy, have returned home from a week's visit to Pekin, Ill.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wakeman, November 2, on East Clay street, a son.

E. P. Vail, I. R. Mills and R. E. Pratt will leave for Fisher, Ark., on Monday to join the Decatur hunting party.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. McClintock, of Kansas City, are guests of J. C. Millspaugh and family.

Mrs. J. T. Hand, a former resident of this city, but now of Beaver Dam, Wis., is visiting her old time friends and neighbors, Mrs. Benton Blackstone and Mrs. W. H. Linn.

Charley Harvey, who has been one of the porters at the St. Nicholas, will leave on Monday next for Los Angeles, California, accompanied by his mother and sister. They will seek employment in that city.

L. H. Mont, formerly with Al. Morgan, has failed in the hotel business at Danville, and has departed for parts unknown. A small army of creditors stormed the Tremont House when it was known that Mont had fled. The clerks and barkeepers showed up a bill of sale for the whole outfit.

The Late Geo. W. Barnett.

We copy the following from the Pasadena (Cal.) *Star* of October 19th:

Geo. W. Barnett, who died here October 11th of painter's colic, was buried Wednesday last at 2 p. m., on arrival from Rushville, Illinois, of his wife and child and her mother, Mrs. Nelson. Mr. Barnett came to California last May from Rushville, Ill., and intended to make this his future home and move his family here. He was Past Master of Rushville Lodge No. 9, A. F. and A. M., and a Knight Templar of high degree and standing. He was a man of sterling qualities and integrity, and highly esteemed by all who knew him.

The deceased was a brother of John T. Barnett, engineer at the Decatur water works.

The Coming Drama.

For the production of "Held by the Enemy," Wm. Gillette's highly successful American play at the opera house next Friday evening, we are informed that the same care and management that were given it when introduced to the public of New York, London, Boston and San Francisco, will be seen in its handling here. In each of the cities named the piece met with a warm reception, continued into solid runs. "Held by the Enemy" has never known a doubtful situation since it was produced, and England and Australia have taken to it as kindly as this country. It is strong on the comedy side as well as the emotional, and it is thoroughly and exclusively American in tone, say those who have seen it. Its characters are soldiers drawn from both armies, and the scene is laid in Virginia. The tender subject is said to be handled skillfully and gently, with patriotic feeling but without obtrusive partisanship, and instead of stirring up old animosities it is calculated to soften them. All the effects used during its long New York run will be here. The cast will be the same as during the long New York run.

W. E. MANN is home from Alton and the meeting of the state convention at Quincy. He invited the convention to hold its next session in Decatur. The matter will be considered by the executive committee in January.

MISS CUSHMAN, a returned missionary from China, will deliver a free lecture at Stapp's Chapel Friday night, under the auspices of the two Methodist churches. The lady was heard recently in Milwaukee by Mrs. Hiram Buck and Mrs. Geo. W. Bright, and they were so pleased with her instructive story of life in China that they induced the lady to pay Decatur a visit.

A Change.

On account of the meeting of the Woman's Club, the meeting of the Decatur Art Class will be changed from 2:30 until 3 p. m. Saturday, Nov. 5th.

M. L. GRISWOLD, Pres.

DRIVEN FROM OMAHA.

A Decatur Firm has Bad Luck in the Windy City.

Guy Parke sends us a copy of the Omaha (Neb.) *Bee*, of Oct. 29, which contains a half-column write-up of the misfortune that has befallen Edward Harpstrite and Peter Ullrich in that city. According to the *Bee* the Omaha city council and the Union Pacific Railroad Company combined to circumvent the plans of Harpstrite & Ullrich, who had bought a site for a flouring mill. The Union Pacific road wanted special privileges and got them, leaving the mill site without an approach, except to lease ground from the railroad company. It was a case of freeze-out, and the *Bee* says: "As a consequence the firm has become disgusted, and decided to abandon the establishment of an important industry in this city. With this intention Mr. Harpstrite leaves Omaha to-day, where he has sunk about $12,00 as if in a Missouri eddy. His partner, Mr. Ullrich, will leave as soon as he can dispose of his property and each will retire to advertise Omaha as under the domination of a corporation which will not stop short of the violent means, even of tampering with councilmen to secure its aims." This is indeed an unfortunate termination to what promised to be a paying investment of Decatur capital. Possibly the breeze stirred up by the Omaha papers will bring the venal council of that city and those interested in the growth of the place to their senses.

THE temporary management of the opera house, in the absence of Mr. Haines, had a wrestle with Carl Herman, one of the proprietors of the Gypsy Baron show at the hall last night, about the scale of prices. The penny wise and pound foolish Sheeny, whose head was swollen with beer and importance, would not listen to reason, and it was either a submission to his construction of the unfortunately worded contract, or no show, which would have resulted in a disappointment to several hundred people. The trouble grew out of a misunderstanding which could not be satisfactorily explained, as Mr. Haines was absent. The misunderstanding is deeply regretted, and the outcome would have been different had Herman been anything but a grasping Sheeny. It is not likely that he will ever get another date in Decatur.

Sales of Real Estate.

R. B. Rogers to Keziah Jones, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 4, village of Argenta, $100.

David Frantz to John Heckman, 59 acres in 29, 17, 4 east, $2,937.50.

William M. Catto to Florence N. Catto, lots 17 and 18, block 8, Village of Warrensburg—$1,000.

B. Z. Taylor to J. Harvey Scribner, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 14, town of Blue Mound $1500.

Clarence H. Bacon and Elsie C. Bacon to Myron C. Harrington, the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, 11, 16, 3, Long Creek township—$475.

Lucinda Nightingale to William M. Catto, quit claim to lots 17 and 19, block 8, village of Warrensburg—$1.00.

Silas B. McClelland to Jacob Diller, lot 2, block 3, Berry H. Cassell's Fourth Addition—$1600.

IT is not true as reported that all of the reserved circle tickets for the Sam Jones lecture have been taken. There are a few left, and to-morrow morning a few more called in from other points will be placed on sale.

The Woody Brothers.

They will appear at the tabernacle Monday night and give an entertainment that will please everybody. Prices, 20 and 30 cents. The New York *Tribune* said:

Last night our city was given a great surprise. The fame of the Woody Bros.' Male Quartette was known here, but we never heard of a man with a double voice; yet we heard one last night, Mr. M. P. Woody (the "Old Shady" of America), has a double voice. In his falsetto he is great, in his first bass he is great, and as a solo artist and comedian he has no equal. He is able to give a full program alone. His voice is a fortune to him.

THE members of Dunham Post, No. 141, G. A. R., have leased the third story of Orlando Powers' new building on South Water street, for a Post Hall. The room will be well ventilated and is 40 feet wide. It will be one of the finest halls in the city, and the Post is to be congratulated on securing such elegant quarters. The Sons of Veterans rejoice with the Post, for they too will probably make their home with the old vets.

A PRUDENT man, "according to Hoyle,"
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WHEAT—71⅞ Nov; 73 Dec; 73¼ Jan; 73¾ May.

CORN—41⅛ Nov; 41⅛ Dec; 41⅛ Jan; 45⅛ May.

OATS—25¼ Nov; 25⅝ Dec; 26 Jan; 29⅝ May.

PORK—$13.50 Nov; $13.00 Dec; $12.50 Jan.

LARD—$6.25 Nov; $6.25; Dec; $6.35 Jan.

RIBS—$6.22 Nov; $6.25 Dec; $6.32 Jan.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 30,000; prospects steady; yesterday's closing prices.

Cattle, 9,000; over half Texas and Western; prospects steady.

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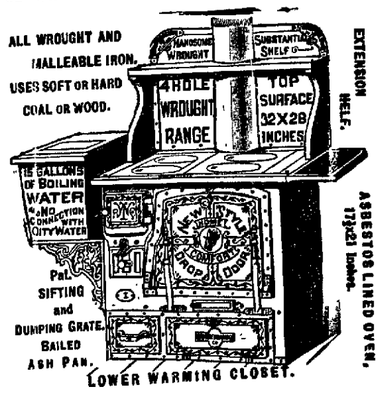

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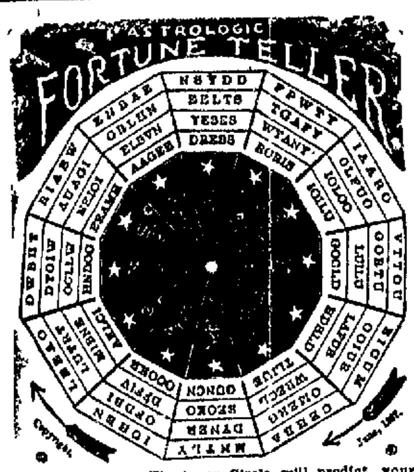

Explanation.—The inner Circle will predict your Fortune in Business Affairs. The next Circle, in Affairs of Love. The next Circle, your General Future. The outer Circle, in Domestic Affairs.

If your birthday occurs between Jan. 1st and 25th, (inclusive) your Star is Venus; Jan. 26 and Feb 23, Jupiter; Feb. 24 and March 19, Sirius; March 20 and April 15, Saturn; April 16 and May 31, Mars; May 22 and June 18, Mercury; June 19 and July 27, Capella; July 28 and August 21, Cygni; August 22 and Sept. 20, Uranus; Sept. 21 and Oct. 19, Neptune; Oct. 20 and Nov. 17, Mira; Nov. 17 to Dec. 31, Rigel. To predict your fortune in, say business affairs, find the Star under which you were born, then select any letter under that Star and in the Business Circle, (the inner one), and write down the letter; then proceed to select every fifth letter in that Circle (going in the direction of the arrows) and write the letters in a line. By reading from the proper point in the line, your fortune will be clearly described.

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On the endless round they go.
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Life and death they question not

Through the darkness, o'er the waste,
Voices call them, and they haste;
To the wind their fear they fling;
All their best they gladly bring.

If the wind blow east, or west,
They can neither play nor rest;
So much work beneath the sky,
They can scarcely stop to die.

You are idle, and you stand
Just a dreamer in the land,
Having neither name nor place
With the runners in the race.

Are you made of finer clay?
Have you redder blood than they?
Must they always lay the meat,
Which they strive for at your feet?

Must they always, first and last,
Stand between you and the blast?
Are you God's peculiar care?
Has He favorites anywhere?

It were best that you should feel
Force of tempest, touch of steel;
Best to let your fancies fine
Quicken into flames divine.

Men and women, with their loads,
Toil along the endl ss roads;
Overtake them, help them lift,
And no longer dream and drift!
—*Ellen M. H. Gates, in Youth's Companion.*

LUCKY JACK.

How He Married a Princess—A Romance of the Sea.

[Original.]

I KNEW well enough he was sailing under false colors when I saw him dash off the name "Jack Tarr" under mine—leastwise the one I go by at sea—on the Sunderland's shipping papers. It wasn't so much the name itself or the handwriting like a custom house clerk's, as it was the look of good breeding about the handsome young chap, which sailor clo's and a suspicion of boarding house whisky couldn't hide.

For he wasn't the first well brought up fellow that's been driv' reckless by one thing or another—generally speaking, a woman—and drifted off to sea. Such a one is pretty sure to hide hisself under a *nom dee ploom*, as the French call it, rather than drag a decent family name into a dirty fo'csle. Twenty-five years ago I did the same thing, and to-day I'm as surely lost at sea to those I left behind, as though I was laying on bottom in sixty fathom.

"Maybe Jack suspicioned something of this. I don't always talk sea slang even aboard ship. And occasionally a bit of my old self which has got parcelled over with tarred canvas and served with spun yarn shows through where the wear and tear of sea life has chafed. Any way, after we was chose in the same watch, he picked me out for a chum. But to this day I don't know what his name was. He was Jack Tarr to the end of the chapter.

The "Sunderland" was an old ship deep loaded with general cargo from New York to Yokohama, Japan. There were two lady passengers in the cabin, though we for'ard never laid eyes on 'em by reason of sea sickness till the ship was thirteen days out in good weather to the south'ard of the Bermoodas.

I was to the wheel the first morning Miss Doris come on deck—it being bright and tolerable smooth, with a warm wind well aft. Cap'n Jones fixed her a stool to wind'ard of the wheel and left her, not being much used to lady passengers. But for the first few minnits I, being younger than I am now, I couldn't take my eyes off'n her. My word though, sir, she was a handsome piece; straight as the r'yal pole, with hair and eyes like a Spanish *senorita's*, and a smile—well, it would set a man's heart to beating every time.

It was Jack's relief at four bells. I remember thinking as he come swinging along to loo'ard, that he was what the story papers used to call the *beau ideal* of a sailor. He was nigh six foot, with broad shoulders, a slim waist, clear skin just touched with sea-tan and one of them silky black mustaches that most young wimmin like to feel against their own upper lip.

As Jack stepped on the wheel grating, a lee lurch come nigh to upsetting Miss Doris' stool and he sprung for'ard just in time to straighten her up. Her shade hat flew off—and for a minnit I don'no which turned the palest—she or Jack.

"My God," I heard him say low-like, but he pulled hisself together, and when he took the spokes and I give him the course his face were as hard and set as a graven imige. Miss Doris jest glanced at him once with a dretful frighted look in her big black eyes and went below, while I started for'ard "marveling," as the good book says.

Well, what little Jack chose to tell me in the watch below wasn't any thing new nor strange—further than the coincidence that they too should have happened aboard the same ship four years after she'd played with his heart and tossed it back when she got tired. By reason of which he allowed that his life was ruined, so he went to the devil allying, 'listed in the navy, was discharged and shipped in the Sunderland after a big spree.

Miss Doris didn't break *her* heart! Not she! She kep' on a flirting and now she was going to Yokohama—so the steward told us—to marry a tea merchant she'd corresponded with quite a spell. He was old enough to be her father, but worth over a million. And Miss Doris chose to go out in a sailing ship, as she afterward said, for the sake of "a new sensation." And I guess, all things considered, she had it.

Whether she really wanted to ask Jack, or whoever he was, to forgive her, or whether, as is most likely, it was the old flirtatious nater asserting itself, I don't know, but maybe Jack did. Anyhow, on the sly, Miss Doris tried in a thousand little ways to get a word or look from him. But, Lord, she might as well have made eyes to a stone statue. He'd never so much as glance to'ards her nor Miss Grayson, her aunt, when they was on deck, and I could see it was a fretting Miss Doris tremendious. But he nor I never mentioned it to one another.

We had a fine run round the cape, through the Sunda straits, and to the nor'ward of the Phillipines—the old man chuckling over his quick run from New York. But it ain't safe to laugh till one is out of the woods, ashore or to sea.

On the evening of July 3, 1877, the ship, going six knots an hour in a heavy beam sea, struck a reef they say wasn't laid down on the chart. The fore and main topmasts went by the board, knocking the mate from the t'gallant fo'csle and breaking the second mate's shoulder. But the worst was, three planks was sprung off the stern, below the water line, on one side, and a butt started to'ther. There was just time to get the boats over, huddle aboard and pull off. I never see a ship go down so sudden in all my rec'lection!

I'd sailed bo's'n with the old man a vi'ge before, so he gim'me charge of the smallest boat, and it being the staunchest of the two, by reason of water-tight compartments, the wimmin was transferred to it from the long boat, which leaked bad. Lucky for Miss Doris and her aunt it were so; for that night we caught the butt end of a Chiny sea typhoon and it was a miracle the boat lived through it. T'other one didn't—at least it was no wheres to be seen in the morning. But we see something else—a big eight hundred ton Japanee junk dismasted to loo'ard. And two hours after sun up, the whole of us—nine including the wimmin—was took aboard safe and sound.

The pilot, who was a funny little Jap which talked with his hands better'n his tongue, explained the situation to Jack and me in tolerable good pigeon English. The *Nimshi*, it seems, was kind of a pleasure vessel belonging to some of the royalty to Yeddo. She was blowed off'n the Kiusiu islands, where they was cruising, and besides being dismasted in the typhoon her sailing master, three or four officers, a dozen sailors and the binnacle was swep' away by a big sea!

"Jack," I says, kind of private, "it's an ill wind that blows nobody good—if this here don't turn out a tidy bit of salvage I lose my guess." I sent him to the cabin aft for to see how the land lay and took things in my own han's, which nigh as I could find out was just what they wanted.

There was something like sixty Japanee sailors aboard—smart and willing, but they all wanted to boss, so of course couldn't do nothing. I made the pilot interpreter, and what with our chaps and the Japs themselves, we rigged a couple of jurymas' in no time and set some spare sails. Then I took the boat compass aft and laid a course about nor'-nor'-west, according to the pilot's reckoning. After which I had a wash, tidied up a bit and went aft to hunt up master Jack.

I s'pose there's no curiousser craft floats than one of them flat-bottomed junks. And this one was something a little extry, as I see at a glance. The galleries either side the tiller on the high poop was painted in bright green and yeller, whilst the main saloon riz above deck was carved all over with curi's birds and monkeys till they'd dazzle your eyes.

The saloon inside was finished in polished camphorwood, with mirrors and painted panels. Hanging all round were lanterns and flowering vines and bird cages. There was stationary ebony tables, lounges inlaid with mother-of-pearl and lacquer cabinets, and at the further end a gilt shrine with a lamp burning before it.

But all this was nothing to the rest of it. There was a dozen or so handsomely-dressed Japanese ladies—mostly young—squatting in a half circle round a sort of a divan. And if you'll believe me, sitting on the divan betwixt the prettiest little Japanese woman I ever laid eyes on and a fat, jolly-looking old Jap in a green gown and petticoat breeches, was Jack himself, talking and laughing dif'rent from any thing ever I saw him do before, whilst the old party was interpreting what he said to the rest.

Think of the cheek of him! And he'd changed his sailor clo's for a suit of white linen he got from one of the servants who'd been mess boy in an English man-o'-war! And to hear him talk you'd think he was cap'n of the old Sunderland!

I was struck aback, but not so much so as Miss Doris, who, with her aunt, was showed into the saloon a minute or two later. Their clo's was sp'iled with the salt water, so both 'em was rigged out in Japanese dresses. Miss Doris looked like she were the Princess in that there play "The Mikado," I saw to New York last fall, and the rig was regular becoming. But Jack didn't take no more notice of her than if she wasn't round. More than that—he hadn't eyes or ears for any one but the little black-eyed, black-haired lady along side him, who was a regular pocket Venus.

Well, it was a rum game as ever I saw! but it wasn't no place for me in my sailor rig, all stained with salt water, and I backed out without any one paying any particular attention to my coming or going, so took up was they with master Jack and his talk.

THERE WAS JACK HIMSELF.

When I come up on the poop where six or seven Japs was manip'lating the tiller, the little pilot was setting a dish with tea and sweet cake and a bit of pork front of the boat compass.

"Keep he true den Chin Lee send good breeze," he says, pointing to 'em. And sure enough the wind chopped round astern and the old tub began rolling along before it nigh as fast as you whip a crab through a barrel of soft tar.

That evening I was sitting in the shadow of the big squares'l we'd rigged aft, smoking the pilot's little copper pipe which didn't hold over a thimbleful and spec'lating as was natural on what I'd get out of the job provided I got the junk and ship's company to Yeddo, where they was bound.

Presently I saw Jack's white suit looming up and after him the swish of a woman's dress, and I knew by the height of her it was Miss Doris.

"Jack," I heard her say with a little shake in her voice, "are you never going to forgive me?"

"I forgave—and forgot you more than three years ago, Doris Greyson," he said, short and sharp, "so perhaps further conversation on the subject is needless. Allow me to hand you below."

She didn't allow him, though. The way that Japanee silk dress switched off into the cabin was a caution. But for all that I heard a bit of a sob along with it. Whether it was through being mad or being sorry though, I can't say. Female conundrums is out of my line.

But I took Jack was having his revenge all along. For come to find out, the pretty little Japanese lady was a real live Princess and the jolly old party who was her father was a Prince of some dominion in Japan—I forget what. And anybody with half an eye could see when the two came on deck together that the dark-eyed little brunette was tremendous took with handsome Jack.

I've seen Miss Doris stand and bite her red lips till they nigh bled, to see Jack hang over the little Princess and look the things he couldn't say in her soft, dark eyes. And I used to notice he'd always take pains to do this when Miss Doris was round. Whether, though, he cared for the pretty Jap or was only making believe to thorn Miss Doris the more, I couldn't quite make out. He treated her with just a bare, cold politeness and that was all.

"Jack," I says to him just before we got in, "I'm going to put in a claim for salvage. Do you want to come in for a share?"

"Harry, my dear boy," Jack answers back with a laugh, "I've got *my* salvage in advance. No, thanks, I'm more than satisfied already." And though, he didn't explain, I guessed pretty nigh what he was driving at.

Well, to make a long story short, with the help of the pilot and the Japanese chart, I worked the junk into the bay of Yeddo. Such another racket of gun-firing and gong-beating and cracker-snapping when the junk swung to her big wooden anchor I never heard, and that night I was invit d to supper where the Japs nigh killed me with kindness—and samshu.

SHE GAVE A LITTLE, SHARP CRY.

Come to find out next day Miss Doris and the rest had took French leave. Whether Jack himself had kind of relented and gone over to Yokohama along of Miss Doris I couldn't find out—any way he was gone without so much as leaving a good-bye.

The Prince and his pretty daughter went out to their country seat, but he left an order on the court treasurer for a tidy lump of money to be divided betwixt me and the men, I, of course, getting the lion's share. Then I took steamer passage for New York. But it's light come and light go with us chaps, and inside of a year I'd blowed it all in; and cur'is enough the first vessel I shipped in after it was gone was the bark *Twanki*, bound for Yokohama, and consigned to Mr. Powers, who, come to find out on arriving, was the gentleman Miss Doris had married after all.

All the crew left but me, and she being an easy bark I staid by whil'st loading. I was sweeping off her quarter just at sundown one evening, when who should come aboard to see Cap'n North but Mr. Powers, the consignee, and his young wife with him. She was dressed to the nines and was good enough to recognize me very pleasant like when I raised my cap. But her good looks had gone off a bit and I fancied her voice was a bit sharp and peevish when she spoke to her husband, who was short and fat and pompous, with a gimlet eye and a white mustache.

"There's the new Japanese gunboat just coming back from a trial trip down the harbor," I heard Captain North say as he sung out to the steward for some chairs, and I lingered a bit in the gangway as she swung in near the bark to clear an English steamer laying in the stream.

The gunboat squeezed by within six feet of our rail. Mrs. Powers kind of caught her breath and gave a little sharp cry, as she looked up to the black sides so near.

"There is no cause for alarm, Mrs. Powers," I heard her husband say in his pompous way.

Well, there wasn't. But perhaps she had some other reason for the involuntary cry. Any way, it so came to me as I looked up myself. For there on the bridge with half a dozen Japanese naval and civil officials, stood my former shipmate, Jack, in full uniform with a pretty Japanese lady hanging on his arm, whose dark face was just beaming with smiles. And just at that moment Jack looked down.

He didn't see me—or if he did—had forgotten me, as a matter of course. But he *did* see Mrs. Powers, and as he said something to his lady companion, lifted his gold laced cap with the curissest smile ever I saw on his handsome face, while the lady kissed her small finger tip. And then the gun boat swept by.

"Lucky dog, that young chap; what's his name?" says the old man as Mrs. Powers turned away sharp and quick—"married a Japanese princess six months ago, and is one of the biggest guns in the Japanese navy."

"But how did *you* happen to know them, Mrs. Powers?" her husband asked surprised like.

"I met him in the States years ago," she said, "but he is not a person I should care to renew an acquaintance with. Now, if you will get through your business, we will go." And then I went for'ard and put away my broom.

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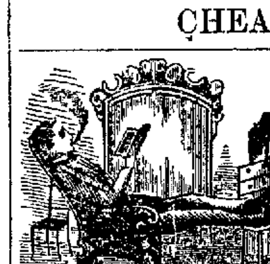

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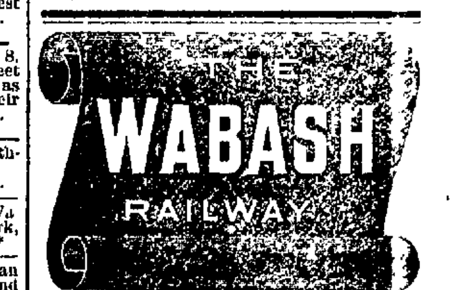

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JOHN McNULTA, Receiver. S. W. SNOW, Gen'l Passenger Agent, CHICAGO.

THE Malleable Iron Hollow Ware made by the Home Comfort Range Co., is quite a curiosity. It is like the Ranges—indestructible. Stop at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s and see this ware. It cannot be broken. daw

Beautiful Shawls,

In Fall and Winter weights, extremely handsome, and at low prices.
d&w LINN & SCRUGGS.

DEHAVEN, the decorator, is now prepared to furnish the fall styles of Wall Paper, in all grades, at prices lower than ever. Address or call at 535 West Eldorado street. sep14-dawtf

SPENCER, LEHMAN & Co. sell the old reliable Peter Shuttler and Moline wagon. Aug 3-daw3m

1500 New Cloaks and Wraps,

For ladies and children, in elegant styles, and decidedly cheap, at
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CHEAP CHARLEY will not misrepresent anything to you. d&w

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MAFFIT has a plentiful supply of pure, crystal ice. Call up telephone 100 and send in your orders. apr12-dt

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. ap16-dtf

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Ann Gill, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Ann Gill, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1887.

L. M. GILL,
oct18-d3w Administrator.

THERE are more students from farmers' families in the Ann Arbor University than from those of any other occupation.

'MOST everything in this world is ful of deception. Few things are what they seem, but the results obtained for Dr Jones' Red Clover Tonic far exceed all claims. It restores lost nerve force, cures dyspepsia, and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malarial diseases. Price 50 cents of Dr. A. J. Stoner. 1b

New markets,

Plain, Stripes and Plaids, for ladies and misses, beautiful styles.
daw LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE late Herr Krupp's income for the present year was about $1,250,000. The late Baron Rothschild's was $700,000 and his brother's $650,000.

THE best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner 1b

THE BEST place in Decatur for a good Home Style Meal is the Court House Restaurant, No. 139 South Water street. W. A. Combs is the proprietor, who personally welcomes and attends to the wants of his patrons. d&wtf

THE Hercules white shirts are the best, and only one dollar. LINN & SCRUGGS. daw

IT is wonderful to see the line of Cloth ing Cheap Charley is getting in this Fall d&w

Ice ... n now delivering ice to all parts of the city. Leave orders at Jos. Michl's ..., or telephone ... apr14-d... "Home ... Wells & ...

Ladies

In delicate health and needing a gentle yet effective laxative, will find the California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, pleasing to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, and perfectly safe in all cases. It is the most easily taken and pleasantly effective remedy known to cure and prevent costiveness, to dispel headaches, colds and fever, and strengthen the kidneys, liver and bowels, and is therefore a favorite remedy with the ladies. For sale in 50 cents and $1.00 bottles by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 3-1

TURNER & TRIMMER, 146 North Broadway, have continually on hand choice bolted meal, chopped feed, baled hay, corn, oats, wheat, rye, straw, wheat bran, corn bran and shorts, all at the lowest prices, and delivered to any part of the city. Give them a call when you want meal, feed or grain. oc31-d1m

SPENCER, LEHMAN & Co. sell the old reliable Peter Shuttler and Moline Wagon Aug 3-d&w3m

REPAIRING and repainting general line of vehicle work at the Bluegrass Shop. ap16-dtf

SPEAKING of school reminds us of what Ferris & Co.'s ad. says in that connection. Read it. [Aug. 17-d&wtf

Lemons ... at Stine's ...

Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am relieved from all pain and soreness, and am enabled to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle, only 50c, at John A. Swearingen's Drug Store. 14

GO TO Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s for Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps and Iron Force Pumps. Aug 3-d&w8m

NEW soup tureens of silver have an arrangement underneath for a tiny spirit lamp.

PEOPLE ask what is good for a cough or a cold. The mistake many make is in letting it run too long. Dr. Bigelow's Cough Cure contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them. A safe and speedy remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner in 50 cent and $1 bottles. Healing to the lungs... ...sant for children. ... the ... children.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen. a1

Wedding and Ball Goods.

We are in receipt of a full line of wedding invitations, ball programmes, etc., of the latest designs. They include some of the handsomest patterns ever seen in this city. If you are intending to give a ball, or have any notion of getting married, don't fail to see these samples.

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Embracing Underwear, Scarfs Handkerchiefs, Half-hose, in the best goods, and at the lowest prices. LINN & SCRUGGS. daw

TELEPHONE D. A. Maffit for ice in any quantity. Telephone 100. apr12-dtf

WHITE VESTS for barkeepers at B. Stine's. dtf

WOMEN repairing—Ferris & Co. have good school shoes, cheap. 17-d&wtf

Its superior excellence proven in millions of homes for more than a quarter of a century. It is used by the United States Government. Endorsed by the heads of the Great Universities as the Strongest, Purest, and most Healthful. Dr. Price's the only Baking Powder that does not contain Ammonia, Lime or Alum. Sold only in cans.
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ARE you going to paint your dwelling? If so, use the H. W. Johns "Asbestos" paints. They will hold their colors and last longer than any other paint made. For sale by Morehouse, Wells & Co. m28-d&wtf

CARPETS, wall paper, curtains and oilcloths, an entirely new stock, just opened up. Capt. T. J. Abel would be pleased to have you call and examine these goods at the old stand of Abel & Locke. oc25-d&w1m

A COMMON remark: "I don't see why the shoes we buy at Powers & Haworth's last so much longer than the ones bought in other stores." [oct 20-dtf

SPENCER, LEHMAN & Co. sell the old reliable Peter Shuttler and Moline Wagon. Au... ...m

EXECUTORS' SALE.

The public sale of the personal property of the late Jesse L. Fenton will be held at the family residence, No. 251 North Water Street, corner of East William street, in Decatur, Ill., on

SATURDAY, NOV. 5, 1887,

consisting of household goods, parlor and chamber suites, beds and bedding, a large quantity of Axminster, velvet and body Brussels carpets entirely new, and of latest designs, pier glasses, mirrors, steel engravings and oil paintings; easy chairs, rockers, dining room chairs, etc., 1 cabinet organ, 1 Boynton furnace No. 18, used only about three months, good as new; kitchen furniture and utensils, china and glassware.

VEHICLES—1 double-seated family carriage, with pole and shafts, 1 phaeton, 1 set of double harness, and 1 set of single harness.

N. B.—The above property is all in good condition and largely of recent purchase.

SUNDRIES—205 feet of iron fence, stone walks and stone steps. Will also offer for sale one grade Jersey cow and calf.

SALE begins at 10 o'clock a. m.

Workmen will begin to tear down the residence on November 15th. Persons desiring to purchase mantels and grates or building materials can do so by applying after that time to E. McNabb & Son, contractors. Any of the above mentioned articles may be examined any time during the week beginning October 31, by calling at the house.

TERMS—A credit of six months without interest if paid when due will be given on all sums exceeding $10, purchaser giving note with approved security before removing property.

H. W. FENTON,
MARY A. FENTON,
Executors.

J. W. TYLER, Auctioneer.
oct10-d&wtd

DR. A. S. WALTZ,

—DENTIST.—

Office over Barber & Baker's shoe store, 123 East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

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Four Ice Wagons.

D. A. Maffit has the purest and crystal ice, with which to supply the public generally. He has four wagons that will be kept going all through the season, making prompt deliveries early in the morning and at any time of day. Telephone 100. apr12-dtf

Children's Cloaks,

A large assortment, in handsome styles and cheap, at LINN & SCRUGGS
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ALL kinds of upholstering goods in stock at A. Beers, Lincoln Square. oct1-d3m

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Underwear

For Ladies and Children, a complete assortment, at low prices.
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